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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT DISTRICT OF NEVADA

Petitioner,
v.
Dwight Neven, et al.,

Justin James Edmisten.

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Respondents.

Case No. 2:15-cv-00952-RFB-NJK

Unopposed Motion for Extension of Time to File a First Amended Petition

(Third Request)

Petitioner Justin James Edmisten moves this Court for an Order extending the time by eight (8) days, from August 27, 2018 to and including September 4, 2018 in which to file his counseled amended petition. This motion is based on the attached points and authorities and the record in this case.

POINTS AND AUTHORITIES

- 1. Petitioner mailed his *pro se* petition for a writ of habeas corpus on May 15, 2015. ECF No. 4.
- 2. On March 21, 2017, this Court reconsidered its previous order denying counsel and appointed the Federal Public Defender, District of Nevada. ECF No. 17.

- 3. On July 25, 2017, counsel filed a Motion to Partially Vacate the March 21, 2017, Order. ECF No. 26. Respondents opposed and Edmisten replied. ECF Nos. 28, 31. On March 29, 2018, this Court entered an Order granting Petitioner's Motion to Vacate the March 21, 2017 order and ordered counsel to file an Amended Petition within sixty (60) days. ECF No. 33. This third request for an extension of time follows.
- 4. Mr. Edmisten's petition is drafted. However, counsel requires additional time to speak with Mr. Edmisten about several of the claims in the drafted amended petition. Counsel and Edmisten missed calls last week; counsel has scheduled another call this week to speak with Mr. Edmisten. She therefore requests 8-days to speak with her client before filing this petition.
- 5. Counsel emailed counsel for Respondents, Jessica Perlick, who advised she is not opposed to this request. Petitioner understands that opposing counsel's non-opposition does not waive any claims, defenses, statute of limitations, or other substantive arguments the Respondents may choose to raise at a later date.
- 6. This motion is made in good faith and not for the purpose of delay. Petitioner therefore respectfully requests that this Court grant his motion to file an amended petition on or before September 4, 2018.

1	1 Dated August 27, 2018.	
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3	Kene	L. Valladares
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11	$\frac{11}{RICH}$	ARD F. BOULWARE, United
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on August 27, 2018, I electronically filed the foregoing with the Clerk of the Court for the United States District Court, District of Nevada by using the CM/ECF system.

Participants in the case who are registered CM/ECF users will be served by the CM/ECF system and include: Jessica Perlick.

I further certify that some of the participants in the case are not registered CM/ECF users. I have mailed the foregoing by First-Class Mail, postage pre-paid, or have dispatched it to a third party commercial carrier for delivery within three calendar days, to the following non-CM/ECF participants:

Justin Edmisten Inmate ID 02682479 Clark County Detention Center 330 South Casino Center Boulevard Las Vegas, NV 89101

/s/ Marcus Walker

An Employee of the Federal Public Defender